



**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: Q68222

Masanori MIZOGUCHI

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Group Art Unit: 2623

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

Commissioner for Patents

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an additional two months extension of time, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of August 25, 2005 to February 25, 2006.

A check for the statutory fee of \$900.00 (the difference between the \$1020.00 three month extension fee and the \$120.00 submitted on December 27, 2005) is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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